## Bellevue Botanical Garden UPCOMING EVENTS:

**Apr. – Oct. Docent-led tours**, 2 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. every Saturday & Sunday at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main St. Reservations are not required. For more information call 425-451-3755.

Various Dates Plant ID Tours, led by docents, at 1 pm on the following Saturdays: May 8, June 12, July 10, Aug. 14, and Sept. 11. Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street, Bellevue.

Apr. 24, 25 Hua Yuan Chinese Floral Art Exhibition, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main St. The exquisite floral arrangements created by members of the school will be on display in the Visitor Center. Admission is free. For more information call 425-452-2750.

May 1 Eastside Fuchsia Society Plant Sale, 9 am – 3 pm, Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street. Featuring a great selection of plants from Eastside Fuchsia Society. For more information, call 425-452-2750.

May 8 WA Native Plant Society Sale, 10 am – 4 pm, Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street. Proceeds benefit Washington Native Plant Society. For more information, call (206) 619-1073.

May 9 Mothers Day Social and Celebration of the Perennial Border, 1-4 p.m. at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street. Open house featuring light refreshments, music and a celebration of the opening of the newly renovated NPA Perennial Border at the garden. For more information, call 425-451-3755 or visit <a href="https://www.bellevuebotanical.org">www.bellevuebotanical.org</a>

May 15, 16 Rhododendron Show and Sale, 10 am – 5 pm, Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street. Show and sale of beautiful Northwest rhododendrons. Proceeds benefit the Cascade Chapter of the American Rhododendron Society. For more information contact <a href="mailto:lscott@bellevuewa.gov">lscott@bellevuewa.gov</a> or call 425-452-2750.

## **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:**

May 27, June 13 Planting Parties for Spring 2010, 10 am – 2 pm, Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street, Bellevue, Perennial Border Work Yard. New and old plants need to get in the ground! This is a rare opportunity to plant a large border in a public garden. Feel free to come for all or part of the times. We have most tools, but if you have a favorite planting tool, bring it. Bring snacks/water/sack lunch/bug spray, etc. Tasks at all levels and abilities from large trees to label writing. For more information, contact George at <a href="Mayer-George@crows-hop.com">George@crows-hop.com</a>.

April – August

Garden d'Lights Work Parties at the Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street, Bellevue. If you've participated in one or more Garden d'Lights classes, you are invited to come help this summer with preparations for our annual Garden d'Lights celebration. Participants will help make and repair flowers and/or critters to be placed in the garden this coming November and December. Once you attend a class and sign in with your contact information (email preferred), you will be on the Work Party notification list and receive notices of upcoming classes.